**Sausage rolls Ingredients**200g sausage (about 4 medium sausages)

100g plain flour50g butter or margarine2-3x tbsp spoons cold water

1 egg**Equipment**Weighing scales, chopping board, knife, mixing bowl, sieve, tablespoon, rolling pin, spoon, fork, lined baking tray**Method**

1. Preheat the oven to 180oC or gas mark 4.
2. Make up the shortcrust pastry.
	* Sift the flour into the bowl.
	* Cut the butter or margarine into small cubes then rub into the flour, using your fingertips, until it resembles breadcrumbs.
	* Add the cold water and start to mix together with a metal knife.
	* Mix to form a firm, smooth dough.
3. Roll out the pastry into a square 20cm x 20cm, on a floured surface.
4. Cut the square in half, into 2 rectangles.
5. Put sausage down the edge of the pastry as shown.
6. Brush the edges of the pastry with a little water.
7. Roll the pastry over until the seam is on the bottom.
8. Cut each roll into smaller sausage rolls
9. Use scissors or a fork to snip/ hole the tops
10. Brush each pasty with beaten egg.
11. Transfer them onto the baking tray.
12. Bake for 20 minutes, until golden brown.

**Alternatives**

* + Add some herbs or spices to the pastry or the filling to vary the flavour
	+ Try adding slices mushrooms, sweetcorn or grated apple.
	+ Make up the pastry using wholemeal flour – remember to use a little more water.

**Top Tips**

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| Weighing and measuring | Rubbing in | Rolling out | Decorating | Using the oven |

**Sausage Rolls Worksheet**

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| Suggest 5 different fillings that could be made:12345 | What could be served with these for a healthy balanced lunch?*

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| Draw 4 different variations for this pastry recipe eg sausage pasties | What would be your top tips for making shortcrust pastry?    |
| What food safety precautions need to be taken during the making of sausage rolls. Use the headings below to help you answer.**Shopping****Storing shopping****Preparation****Cooking****Storing finished food** |

**Evaluation of sausage**

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| Rating: (Circle) | Likes/ Dislikes | Improvements |